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Title: VACUUM PROCESSING FOR FABRICATION OF
SUPERCONDUCTING THIN FILMS FABRICATED BY METAL-
ORGANIC PROCESSING

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OFFICE ACTION RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

This **Response to Office Action** is filed in response to the Office Action mailed March 29, 2005, objecting to claims 133 and 168, and rejecting claims 117-170. The cited references are Solovyov, "Ex-situ Post-deposition Processing for Large Area $Y_1Ba_2Cu_3O_7$ Films and Coated Tapes," *IEEE Transactions on Applied Superconductivity*, 11:2939-2942 (2001) ("Solovyov") and U.S. Patents Nos. 5,650,378 to Iijima ("Iijima") and 6,610,428 to Smith ("Smith"). The following amendments and remarks remove all grounds for rejection of the application, thereby placing it in condition for allowance.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.